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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 6, 2008, Applicants hereby elect Group I, claims 1-6, 14, 16 and 18, without traverse.

In the event that there are any questions concerning this response, or the application in general, the Examiner is respectfully requested to telephone the undersigned attorney so that prosecution of the application may be expedited.

Respectfully submitted,

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